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Dear Examiner Fidei

Please see the attached Response to Office Action.

Thank you.

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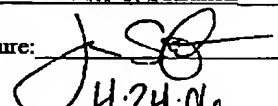
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**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

Mail Stop NON FEE AMENDMENT  
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Dear Examiner Fidei:

This amendment is responsive to the Office Action dated February 2, 2006. If there are any fees necessitated by the foregoing communication, please charge such fees to our Deposit Account No. 50-0959, referencing our Docket No. 109771.0219.